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In re Application of
James R. Gressel

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For: BOOSTER ACTUATOR

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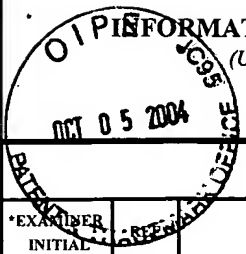
With respect to DE 44 31 624, Figure 7 discloses a cut off valve with a valve member biased by a spring and a cap movable relative to the valve member. Applicant is attempting to get an English translation of this reference, and will supply the English translation to the Patent Office once received. A translated abstract is enclosed with the reference.

With respect to DE 198 08 301, Figure 1 discloses a valve member and a spring biased member 8 and member 5.

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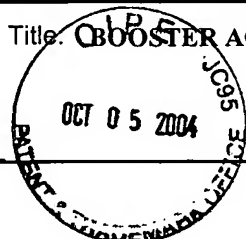
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